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The reply brief filed on August 20, 2007 has been entered and considered. The application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for decision on the appeal.

Also, the "Evidence Relied Upon" Section of the Ex. Answer of June 20, 2007 is replaced with the section below:

(8) Evidence Relied Upon  
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Further, an initial copy of the IDS filed on January 19, 2002 is attached.

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